

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of:
TOWNES

Application No.: 10/720,333
Filed: 11/25/03

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER



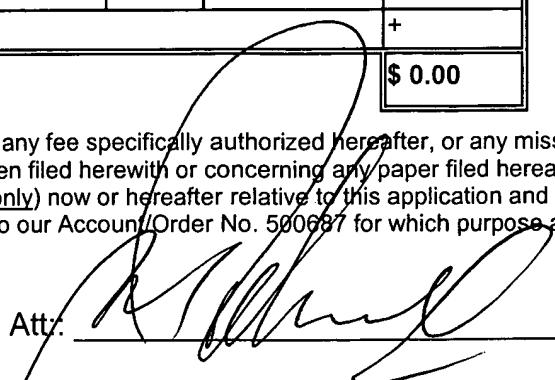
Examiner: WIEHE, Nathaniel E.
Group Art Unit: 3745
Atty Docket: 84712
Date: August 29, 2006

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Large/Small Entity	Additional Fee
Total Effective Claims	9 **minus	20 = 0	x \$50.00	+ \$
Independent Claims	1 ***minus	3 = 0	x \$200.00	+ \$
If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application)			+ \$	+ \$
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In response to the Office action dated May 30, 2006, please amend this application as follows: